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1. MADRID PRESS OF JULY 18 CARRIES A REPORT DATED WASHINGTON ACCORDING TO WHICH A NEW STUDY ON ARMS SALES POLICY BY THREE BROOKINGS INSTITUTE EXPERTS RECOMMENDS THAT OVER THE LONG TERM US SECURITY ASSISTANCE TO SPAIN SHOULD BE TERMINATED, WHETHER OR NOT SPAIN JOINS NATO. THE REPORT PURPORTEDLY ALSO CONCLUDES THAT SPAIN'S SECURITY PROBLEMS ARE PRINCIPALLY INTERNAL NOT EXTERNAL. GIVEN BROOKINGS' STATUS AND REPUTATION, THIS REPORT CAN BE EXPECTED TO RAISE EYEBROWS IN SPAIN.

2. WE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING SOONEST THE FULL TEXT OF COMMENTS ON SPAIN CONTAINED IN THIS REPORT. PENDING RECEIPT OF ANY ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE FROM THE DEPARTMENT, WE WOULD PROPOSE TO REACT TO QUESTIONS SIMPLY BY POINTING TO THE ENTIRELY PRIVATE NATURE OF THE INSTITUTE. TODMAN

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